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In re U.S. Patent Application)

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Sir:

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Total Claims	26	26	6 (Over 20)	x \$50	0.00
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S)		4	PAID	+ \$360	0
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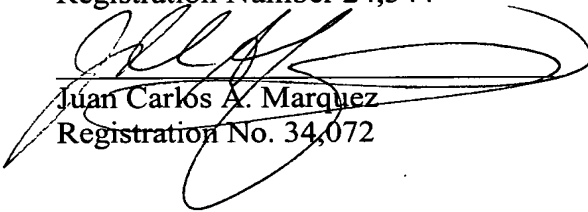
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 20, 2007 and the telephone interview conducted with the Examiner on May 3, 2007, the period for response to which expires on May 20, 2007. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: